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83<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 4017

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 16, 1953

Mr. NORRELL introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

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## A BILL

To provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*  
3       That the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized and directed  
4       to convey by quitclaim deed, without consideration therefor,  
5       to the England Special School District of the State of  
6       Arkansas, all the right, title, and interest of the United  
7       States in and to a parcel of land, and all improvements  
8       thereon, in the southwest quarter of section 35, township 1  
9       north, range 10 west, in Lonoke County, Arkansas, more  
10      particularly described as follows:

1 Commencing at the northeast corner of section 2, town-  
2 ship 1 south, range 10 west, thence north eighty-nine de-  
3 grees eight minutes west for a distance of two thousand and  
4 thirty feet to the west right-of-way line of project road;  
5 thence along said project road right-of-way line north one  
6 degree fifty-eight minutes east, for a distance of one thousand  
7 one hundred and seventy-two feet, more or less, to an iron  
8 pipe for the point of beginning; thence north eighty-eight  
9 degrees two minutes west for a distance of three hundred  
10 and forty feet to an iron pipe, thence north one degree  
11 fifty-eight minutes east for a distance of seven hundred and  
12 eight feet to an iron pipe; thence north twenty-seven de-  
13 grees thirty-two minutes east for a distance of three hundred  
14 and forty-seven feet to an iron pipe; thence south forty-four  
15 degrees thirteen minutes east for a distance of two hundred  
16 and sixty-three feet to an iron pipe; thence south one degree  
17 fifty-eight minutes west for a distance of eight hundred  
18 thirty-nine and five-tenths feet, more or less, to the point of  
19 beginning, containing seven and three one-hundredths acres  
20 more or less.



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*Veterans' insurance:* H. R. 5705, providing for automatic renewal of term insurance, both United States Government and national service life insurance.

Sent to the Senate, amended:

*Jury trials:* S. 252, permitting trial by jury of civil actions against U. S. for recovery of taxes erroneously or illegally assessed or collected.

*Military Academy Band:* S. 1644, to remove the limitation upon the rank of the director of music, the leader of the Military Academy Band.

*Niagara Falls Bridge Commission:* H. J. Res. 253, authorizing the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission to issue bonds for acquiring, rebuilding, reconstruction, or repairing existing bridges, constructing new bridges, etc.

*Minerals:* H. R. 334, regarding disposition of deposits of sand, stone, gravel, etc., when situated on national forest lands.

*Court of Claims:* H. R. 1070, to provide for making a constitutional court of the Court of Claims and for transfer to it of circuit and district court judges when the workload justifies.

*Alaska:* H. R. 1568, to authorize each Commissioner in Alaska to appoint with the approval of the district court of the division, and upon the execution of the proper bond, etc., a Deputy Commissioner with full power and authority to act for the Commissioner.

*Alaska:* H. R. 1802, relative to leasing Alaskan lands which have been reserved for educational purposes, and have been found to contain oil, gas, coal deposits, etc.

*Federal Register:* H. R. 1806, provides statutory authority for the publication by the Administrative Committee on the Federal Register, from time to time as deemed necessary, etc.

*Claims:* H. R. 2977, to remove the limitation on claims against the Army for personal injuries which restricts recovery for such injuries to reasonable medical, hospital, or burial expenses.

*Water carrier certificates:* H. R. 3792, to authorize the Interstate Commerce Commission to revoke or amend, under certain conditions, water carrier certificates and permits.

*Tax recovery:* H. R. 4401, to amend title 28, U. S. Code, so as to permit certain suits for the recovery of taxes to be brought in the district of the taxpayer's residence.

*Atomic energy:* H. R. 4905, to amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1946, as amended, with regard to contracts for electric utility services.

Pages 8286-8299

**Reciprocal Trade Extension:** Disagreed to Senate amendments to H. R. 5495, to extend the authority of the President to enter into trade agreements under section 350 of the Tariff Act of 1930; agreed to a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Reed of New York, Jenkins, Simpson of Pennsylvania, Cooper, and Dingell.

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**Private Calendar:** On the call of the Private Calendar the following bills were passed:

Cleared for the President: S. 140, 152, 173, 226, 297, 314, 315, 349, 458, 505, 604, 616, 1262, and 1579.

Sent to the Senate without amendment: H. R. 823, 828, 947, 948, 954, 975, 2396, 3027, 3142, 3217, 3223, 3631, 3956, 4100, 4101, 4440, 4620, 4919, 4958, 5118, 5210, 5410, 5470, and 5511.

Sent to the Senate, amended: S. 1039, H. R. 127, 711, 871, 1111, 1329, 1629, 1688, 1792, 1892, 2504, 2506, 2507, 2779, 2816, 3619, 3630, 4047, 4104, 4175, 4375, and 4799.

Also concluded legislative action on H. Res. 256.

Passed over without prejudice: S. Con. Res. 26, 33, H. Con. Res. 110, and H. Res. 284.

Objected to: H. R. 3350 and 4097.

Pages 8299-8308

**Suspension Passages:** House voted to suspend the rules and pass the following bills:

*Military construction:* S. 1995, to provide certain construction and other authority for the military departments in time of war or national emergency. The bill now goes to the White House.

*Comptroller General annuity:* H. R. 5228, to amend the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921 to provide for annuities to retired Comptrollers General to be paid out of tax moneys of the United States.

Pages 8308-8313

**Texas Land:** Agreed to Senate amendments to H. R. 4823, to convey by quitclaim deed certain land to the State of Texas, and thus cleared the bill for Presidential action.

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**Whisky Bonding:** Passed, by a division vote of 143 yeas to 106 nays, after rejecting a recommittal motion by a division vote of 97 yeas to 140 nays, H. R. 5407, to amend section 2879 (b) of the Internal Revenue Code to provide for a maximum 12-year period (now 8 years) during which distilled spirits may be retained in internal revenue bonded warehouses before payment of tax.

H. Res. 314, the rule providing for the consideration of the bill and 1 hour of debate thereon, was earlier adopted.

Pages 8313-8324

**Unemployment Tax:** Adopted H. Res. 316, the rule providing for 1 hour of debate on, the waiving of points of order against, and limiting the submission of amendments to, H. R. 5173, to provide that the excess of collections from the Federal unemployment tax over unemployment compensation administrative expenses shall be used to establish and maintain a \$200 million reserve in the Federal unemployment account which shall be available for advances to the States, to provide that the remainder of such excess shall be returned to the States. The consideration of the bill was deferred to Wednesday.

Pages 8324-8327

**Bills Referred:** 42 Senate-passed measures were referred to appropriate committees.

Pages 8337-8338

**Program for Wednesday:** Adjourned at 5:09 p. m. until Wednesday, July 8, at 12 o'clock noon, when the House will conclude action on H. R. 5173, the Employ-



ment Security Administration and Financing Act of 1953, and consider H. R. 6049, relative to school construction in areas affected by Federal activities; and H. R. 6078, to provide financial assistance to school districts affected by Federal activities.

## Committee Meetings

### FEDERAL LAND TRANSFERS

*Committee on Agriculture:* Subcommittee No. 3 approved the following bills for reporting to the full committee—H. R. 2458, amended, authorizing transfer to Navy Department jurisdiction certain lands near Cherry Point, N. C., for use of Marine Corps air station; H. R. 3097, directing conveyance to University of California the real property comprising 20 acres constituting the U. S. Grape Field Station near Oakville, Calif.; H. R. 4017, amended, to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas; and H. R. 5888, authorizing conveyance of certain federally owned lands to the State of North Carolina. Also considered, but deferred action on, H. R. 3107, to provide for conveyance of certain forest lands in Basalt, Colo.

### DAIRY MARKETING

*Committee on Agriculture:* The Special Dairy Subcommittee met today with Prof. Roland W. Bartlett, of the University of Illinois, who discussed dairy marketing and research. Dr. Bartlett presented material and data he has acquired through study and investigation of the subject. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

### ITALIAN-FRENCH NAVAL LOANS

*Committee on Armed Services:* Ordered reported to the House H. R. 5956, authorizing the loan of two submarines to Italy. The measure was amended to provide for the loan of a small aircraft carrier to France, making it similar to the Senate-reported version, S. 2277. Testifying on the legislation was Vice Adm. Roscoe F. Good, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations.

The committee also announced postponement of the hearings scheduled for today, until Tuesday, July 14, on the subject of involuntary recall of Army Reserve officers.

### TECHNICAL COOPERATION ADMINISTRATION

*Committee on Government Operations:* The Brownson Subcommittee on International Relations concluded its series of hearings regarding Technical Cooperation Administration activities, meeting with TCA officials in connection with the agency's educational programs and policies. The TCA was transferred last month from the Department of State to the jurisdiction of the Mutual Security Administration. Today's witnesses were H. P. Martin, Assistant Administrator for Management; Stanley P. Andrews, TCA Administrator; and Halvore Hanson, Assistant Administrator, Asian Development Service.

### PUBLIC DOMAIN—INDIANS—RECLAMATION

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs:* Ordered the following bills reported to the House—

S. J. Res. 6, amended, to provide for a continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands;

H. J. Res. 268, granting the consent of Congress to the negotiation of a compact relating to the establishment of a bi-State park and/or recreational area by the States of Kentucky and Virginia;

H. R. 303, amended, to transfer the administration of health services for Indians and the operation of Indian hospitals to the U. S. Public Health Service, now under the Department of Interior and the Bureau of Indian Affairs;

H. R. 1063, amended, to confer jurisdiction on the State of California with respect to offenses committed on Indian reservations within such State;

H. R. 1081, to release certain Federal rights and interests in and to certain lands conveyed to the city of Chandler, Okla.;

H. R. 1797, amended, to provide for the conveyance of certain land to the State of Oklahoma for the use and benefit of the Eastern Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College at Wilburton;

S. 630 (in lieu of H. R. 2144), authorizing Federal sale of certain lands in Gettysburg National Park to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for public-school purposes;

H. R. 2921, amended, to facilitate the management of certain land and recreational resources of reclamation projects in or adjacent to the national forests of South Dakota;

H. R. 4024, to change the name of the Appomattox Court House National Historical Monument to the "Appomattox Court House National Historical Park."

H. R. 4153, amended, to extend the benefits of the Reclamation Project Act of 1930 to the Arch Hurley Conservancy District Tucumcari reclamation project, New Mexico;

H. R. 4551, amended, to amend the Reclamation Act of 1939 by removing authorization of projects by the Secretary of the Interior;

H. R. 5328, amended, authorizing certain specified uses of the tribal funds of the Ute Mountain Tribe of the Ute Mountain Reservation;

H. R. 5662, to amend the act of 1948, so as to extend for 5 years the authority of the Secretary of the Interior to issue patents for certain public lands in Monroe County, Mich., held under color of title;

H. R. 5664, amended, to amend the mineral leasing laws with respect to their application in the case of pipelines passing through the public domain; and

H. R. 5804, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to grant easements for rights-of-way through, over, and under the parkway land along the line of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and to authorize an exchange of lands with other Federal departments and agencies.





## CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

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JULY 17, 1953.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House and ordered to be printed

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Mr. HOPE, from the Committee on Agriculture, submitted the following

### REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 4017]

The Committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4017) to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas, having considered the same, report favorably thereon with amendments and recommend that the bill as amended do pass.

The amendments are as follows:

On page 1, line 4, after the word "without" insert the word "monetary".

On page 1, line 9, after the word "Arkansas" strike out remainder of line 9 and line 10, and insert in lieu thereof:

, such conveyance to be made only upon the agreement of the England Special School District that all proceeds from the sale of the said property shall be used exclusively to acquire permanent school fixtures for the England Special School District, said property being more particularly described as follows:

#### STATEMENT

This bill direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey to the England Special School District of Arkansas 7.03 acres of land and the facilities thereon, without monetary consideration but with a stipulation that upon sale of the land and facilities the proceeds must be used exclusively to acquire permanent school fixtures for the England Special School District.

This property was granted to the Toltec School District No. 91, Lonoke County, Ark., by deed dated October 20, 1944. Under a reversionary clause the property passed back to the Government when the Toltec School District was consolidated with the England Special School District.

This legislation permits the England Special School District to sell the land and facilities and use the proceeds for improvements at



the England Special School District. Your committee amended the bill to stipulate that the proceeds of the sale must be used for this purpose.

## DEPARTMENT VIEWS

MAY 28, 1953.

Hon. CLIFFORD R. HOPE,  
*Chairman, Committee on Agriculture,  
House of Representatives.*

DEAR MR. HOPE: This is in response to your request for a report from this Department on H. R. 4017, a bill to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas.

This bill would authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey by quitclaim deed to the England Special School District, all the right, title, and interest of the United States to 7.03 acres of land, and the school facilities located thereon. This conveyance would involve the payment of no consideration to the United States by the school district. The interest of the United States in the real estate described in H. R. 4017 is a reversionary right to the return of this land and school facilities which were granted to the Toltec School District No. 91, Lonoke County, Ark., by deed dated October 20, 1944, should the property cease to be used for public school and community purposes. The Toltec School District No. 91 has been consolidated with the England Special School District and it is proposed that the England Special School District be permitted to sell the land and facilities located thereon, and use the proceeds to acquire permanent school fixtures for the England Special School District.

Since the action proposed by this bill would result in substantial compliance with the original objective of the grant which was to make the facilities available for public school and community purposes, we recommend the bill be enacted.

The enactment of this legislation will not require any appropriation or require the expenditure of any funds presently available.

The Bureau of the Budget has no objection to the submission of this report.

Sincerely yours,

TRUE D. MORSE, *Acting Secretary.*

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**HIGHLIGHTS:** Both Houses completed congressional action on USDA appropriation bill. House recommitted bill to modify trade-agreements law. House committee reported crop-insurance bill. Senate passed defense appropriation bill. Sen. Johnson, Tex., discussed Texas water problem.

## HOUSE

1. **AGRICULTURAL APPROPRIATION BILL, 1954.** Both Houses agreed to the conference report on this bill, H. R. 5227, and the House concurred in the Senate amendment which had been reported in disagreement (pp. 9834-7, 9966). This bill will now be sent to the President.
2. **FOREIGN TRADE.** Recommitted, 242-161, H. R. 5894, to provide additional protection to American workers, farmers, etc., under the Trade Agreements Extension Act, including a provision to strengthen Sec. 22 on agricultural imports (pp. 9839-911).
3. **CROP INSURANCE.** The Agriculture Committee reported without amendment H. R. 4211, to continue the authority for expansion of the crop-insurance program (H. Rept. 918)(p. 9913).
4. **LAND TRANSFER.** Passed as reported H. R. 4017, to convey a tract of rural-rehabilitation land to a school district in Ark. (pp. 9837-8).
5. **FOREST LOANS.** The Banking and Currency Committee ordered reported (but did not actually report) H. R. 5603, to authorize national banking associations to make loans on forest tracts (p. D763).
6. **RECLAMATION.** The Rules Committee reported a resolution for consideration of S. 2097, to increase the appropriation authorization for the Eklutna project, Alaska (p. 9833).
7. **COMMITTEE STAFFS.** A list of the committee staffs was inserted (pp. 9914-9).



8. DROUGHT RELIEF. Rep. Halleck said "we have an agreement under which the appropriation bill for the Southwest drought relief will be taken up by unanimous consent tomorrow" (p. 9911).

#### SENATE

9. APPROPRIATIONS. Passed with amendments H. R. 5969, the defense appropriation bill for 1954 (pp. 9928-30, 9933-62, 9964). Senate conferees were appointed. The Appropriations Committee reported with amendments H. R. 5471, the D. C. appropriation bill for 1954 (S. Rept. 628)(p. 9921). Received from the President a revision of a supplemental appropriation estimate, for payment of claims; to Appropriations Committee (S. Doc. 65)(p. 9920).
10. DROUGHT SITUATION. Sen. Johnson, Tex., discussed Texas farm production as affected by the State's water problem and said a Reclamation Bureau report shows that Texans "are using but 15 percent of our potential water supply" (p. 9976).
11. BUILDINGS. The Government Operations Committee reported without amendment S. 2457, to authorize GSA to enter into building-purchase contracts, etc. (S. Rept. 614). S. 690, a similar bill, was indefinitely postponed. (p. 9921.)
12. IMMIGRATION. The Judiciary Committee reported with amendments S. 1917, to authorize entry of 240,000 refugees into this country (S.Rept.629)(p. 9921).
13. TRANSPORTATION. Passed as reported H. R. 2236, to provide for a commission to regulate public transportation in the D. C. area (pp. 9972-4).
14. EDUCATION. The Education Subcommittee ordered reported to the Labor and Public Welfare Committee with amendments H. R. 6049 and 6078, to continue aid to school districts in Federally affected areas (p. 9976).
15. FEDERAL REGISTER. The Judiciary Committee reported without amendment H. R. 1806, to provide statutory authority for publication by the Administrative Committee on the Federal Register (S. Rept. 623)(p. 9921).
16. TREATIES. Sen. Wiley said the Knowland substitute for the Bricker amendment (limiting treaty powers) is a step in the right direction but should be studied carefully (pp. 9968-9).
17. RECLAMATION. Sen. Johnson, Tex., spoke in favor of the Canadian River project (pp. 9927-8).
18. EXPENDITURES. Sen. Byrd inserted Arthur Krock's article discussing the possibility of increasing the debt limit (p. 9924).
19. ST. LAWRENCE WATERWAY. Sen. Wiley inserted his statement favoring this project (pp. 9967-8).
20. LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM. Sen. Knowland said the famine-relief bill may be considered today and the calendar will be read Sat. (p. 9976).

#### BILLS INTRODUCED

21. IMMIGRATION. H. R. 6481, by Rep. Graham, to authorize immigration of 240,000 refugees; to Judiciary Committee (p. 9913).



Service, it is planned to install work also on headwater areas which fall within national forests or in non-Federal forest lands. The Forest Service will be allocated funds for this part of the work.

As a part of the program proposed under this appropriation, measurements will be made of the effectiveness of the improvements in reducing runoff and sedimentation and of the increased soil productivity resulting from the improvements. Also, these small watersheds will provide a means of working out practicable working relationships and procedures by which organized local groups, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, can carry out their planned programs of improvements within limited periods of time.

#### CHOICE OF WATERSHEDS

Although the available information indicates that the small watersheds included in the list that has been proposed are of high priority and constitute the best recommendation that could be made at the time, it was obviously not possible to foresee whether the local people in each of these watersheds would be in a position to carry through the program at the desired rate of progress. Local interests would be expected to provide all easements and rights-of-way for structural improvement, to carry out all of the land-treatment practices, and to meet certain other requirements adding up to about 50 percent of the total cost. If it is apparent that local interests in any of these areas are unable to go this far at this time, alternate watersheds will be selected with the approval of the committees of the Congress.

Let me make this plain: We are not trying to take away any authority whatsoever regarding flood control from the Public Works Committee. So we state in our report:

Before embarking on a comprehensive large-scale program of this nature, the conferees are of the opinion that the appropriate legislative committees of the Congress should give attention to legislation in this field which will provide a measure of local cooperation on future projects, and fix proper standards for cooperation with the Soil Conservation Service by local participation and beneficiaries of the program.

Experience in dealing with conservation projects authorized in flood-prevention and flood-control laws demonstrates that these laws are too cumbersome to apply to smaller watershed areas.

Mr. JENSEN. I thank the gentleman.

Mr. KING of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. I yield to the gentleman from Pennsylvania.

Mr. KING of Pennsylvania. The House membership, of course, should understand the difference between the Soil Conservation Service and the agricultural conservation program. The gentleman spoke quite properly, I think, of the possibility of the ACP program dying of its own weight.

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. The gentleman did not repeat correctly what I did say. I said that the ACP program will die of its own weight unless it has support from the grassroots. That support is assured if the Department will

follow the advice and mandate of the conferees contained in this report.

Mr. KING of Pennsylvania. Nevertheless, I would like to know how much weight there is in this bill on that program?

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. I do not consider that there is any onerous burden whatsoever in this bill. We have put a reasonable amount in here, \$195 million, because, after all, if we cannot afford to spend in 1 year the price of an aircraft carrier to conserve our soil upon which our future generations will have to depend, I think things have come to a pretty pass in this Nation.

Mr. YOUNG. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. I yield to the gentleman from Nevada.

Mr. YOUNG. I have received several inquiries especially in reference to the \$800,000 for the nursery program. They are fearful it will jeopardize some of our western ranges.

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. This bill carries a total of \$800,000 for those nurseries. Of course, this does mean a shading down of the present program to the extent where the Soil Conservation Service can operate approximately 8 or 9 of these nurseries.

Mr. WHITTEN. It is my understanding they can operate about three-fourths of the nurseries they have. From all the information at our command it looks like there are some nurseries throughout the United States that they could well let the State take over or in some instances maintain them. This will let the rest of those carry on.

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. In this particular instance, in reply to the gentleman, we have allowed almost twice what the Eisenhower budget asked for those nurseries.

Mr. YOUNG. I thank the gentleman.

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. Mr. Speaker, I move the previous question on the conference report.

The previous question was ordered.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the conference report.

Mr. DEROUNIAN. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were refused.

The conference report was agreed to.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will report the amendment in disagreement.

The Clerk read as follows:

Senate amendment No. 4: Page 5, line 10, insert: "Provided further, That transfers not to exceed \$11,000 may be made to this appropriation from the several appropriations of the Agricultural Research Administration for general-use capital improvements at the Agricultural Research Center."

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. Mr. Speaker, I offer a motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN moves that the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 4, and concur therein.

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. Mr. Speaker, this is the technical motion that I referred to previously.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Minnesota.

The motion was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote by which action was taken on the motion was laid on the table.

#### GENERAL LEAVE TO EXTEND

Mr. H. CARL ANDERSEN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may extend their remarks in the RECORD prior to the adoption of the conference report.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Minnesota?

There was no objection.

#### APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREE

Mr. GRAHAM. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentleman from Ohio [Mr. McCulloch] be relieved as a conferee on the bill H. R. 5134, and that the Speaker appoint another conferee to fill the vacancy.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Pennsylvania?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER. The Chair appoints to the committee of conference the gentleman from Illinois, Mr. JONAS. The Clerk will notify the Senate of the appointment by the Speaker.

#### CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

Mr. NORRELL. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of the bill (H. R. 4017) to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Arkansas?

There was no objection.

The Clerk read the bill, as follows:

*Be it enacted, etc.,* That the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized and directed to convey by quitclaim deed, without consideration therefor, to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas, all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to a parcel of land, and all improvements thereon, in the southwest quarter of section 35, township 1 north, range 10 west, in Lonoke County, Ark., more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the northeast corner of section 2, township 1 south, range 10 west, thence north eighty-nine degrees eight minutes west for a distance of two thousand and thirty feet to the west right-of-way line of project road; thence along said project road right-of-way line north one degree fifty-eight minutes east, for a distance of one thousand one hundred and seventy-two feet, more or less, to an iron pipe for the point of beginning; thence north eighty-eight degrees two minutes west for a distance of three hundred and forty feet to an iron pipe, thence north one degree fifty-eight minutes east for a distance of seven hundred and eight feet to an iron pipe; thence north twenty-seven degrees thirty-two minutes east for a distance of three



hundred and forty-seven feet to an iron pipe; thence south forty-four degrees thirteen minutes east for a distance of two hundred and sixty-three feet to an iron pipe; thence south one degree fifty-eight minutes west for a distance of eight hundred thirty-nine and five-tenths feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, containing seven and three one-hundredths acres more or less.

With the following committee amendment.

Page 1, line 9, strike out "more particularly described as follows" and insert "such conveyance to be made only upon the agreement of the England Special School District that all proceeds from the sale of the said property shall be used exclusively to acquire permanent school fixtures for the England Special School District, said property being more particularly described as follows."

The committee amendment was agreed to.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. DONDERO. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the subcommittee on Roads of the Committee on Public Works be permitted to sit this afternoon during general debate.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Michigan?

There was no objection.

#### SPECIAL ORDER GRANTED

Mr. MASON asked and was given permission to address the House for 15 minutes on Monday next, following any special orders heretofore entered.

#### CORRECTION OF VOTE

Mr. OAKMAN. Mr. Speaker, on roll call No. 100 I am recorded as not voting. I was present and voted "aye." I ask unanimous consent that the RECORD and Journal be corrected accordingly.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the gentleman from Michigan?

There was no objection.

#### TRADE AGREEMENTS EXTENSION ACT OF 1951

Mr. CHENOWETH. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up House Resolution 347 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

*Resolved*, That upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to move that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5894) to amend the Trade Agreements Extension Act of 1951 and certain other provisions of law to provide adequate protection for American workers, miners, farmers, and producers, and all points of order against said bill are hereby waived. After general debate, which shall be confined to the bill, and shall continue not to exceed 3 hours, to be equally divided and controlled by the chairman and

ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means, the bill shall be considered as having been read for amendment. No amendments shall be in order to said bill except amendments offered by direction of the Committee on Ways and Means or amendments proposing to strike out a section, paragraph, or subparagraph of the bill. Amendments that may be offered to said bill under the terms of this resolution shall not be subject to amendment. At the conclusion of the consideration of the bill for amendment, the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion, except one motion to recommit.

Mr. CHENOWETH. Mr. Speaker, I yield 30 minutes to the gentleman from Virginia [Mr. SMITH]. I now yield myself such time as I may require.

Mr. Speaker, this resolution makes in order the consideration of H. R. 5894, a bill to amend the Trade Agreements Extension Act of 1951. The purpose of this legislation is to provide adequate protection for American workers, miners, farmers, and producers.

This is a closed rule. It provides for 3 hours of general debate, to be divided equally between the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means and the ranking minority Member. The rule provides that no amendments shall be in order except amendments offered by direction of the Committee on Ways and Means. It also provides that amendments may be offered by any Member of the House to strike any section, paragraph, or subparagraph of the bill. This will enable Members to vote against any particular provision of the bill and still support the remaining sections.

Mr. Speaker, this is a bill for the benefit of the American worker, miner, farmer, and producer. Yesterday, the House passed a bill for foreign aid and made something over \$4 billion available to foreign countries around the world. Today, by this bill, we have the opportunity to do something for our own people, and to assist domestic industries which are in need of help. Many workers are idle because of the importation of foreign oil, metals, agricultural commodities, and other products. They cannot compete with the cheap labor found in other countries.

I am not going into the merits of this bill and discuss its many provisions. It is a technical bill and contains some very important amendments to the present law, which will be fully explained by members of the Ways and Means Committee during general debate.

I would like to call attention to one provision of the bill which I feel is of unusual importance. I refer to the section of the bill relating to the "peril point" provision of the present law, and which clarifies the "escape clause" procedure. The law now provides that the Tariff Commission must act when imports threaten serious injury to the domestic industry affected. I understand that this provision has been difficult of interpretation and enforcement, as it was not always easy to determine just what constituted serious injury.

This bill redefines the injury criterion and provides for action by the Commission whenever imports threaten substantial injury to American workers, miners, farmers, or producers. I feel that this amendment is most desirable and will be of great help to our domestic industries.

This bill will provide relief for many segments of our society. It is obvious that our American workers cannot maintain their present high living standards if cheap foreign products are allowed to flood the American markets. Already we have seen many factories and mines closed because of these foreign imports. I submit that the time is here, and long past due, when we should pay more attention to the impact of these foreign imports on our American economy, and certainly this bill today is a step in the right direction.

I want to say just a word about the coal-mining industry. Colorado is a coal State. My home county in Colorado is the largest producer of coal in the State. I am personally aware of the distressed conditions facing the coal industry. In other coal-producing States we find alarming conditions, with great unemployment. Surely we have a responsibility to do what we can to revive this industry and provide employment for thousands of coal miners. By restricting the importation of residual fuel oil we are giving the coal industry renewed hope and encouragement. I have received many letters from coal producers expressing their interest in this legislation and calling attention to the desperate need for prompt action on this measure.

I also want to mention the lead and zinc situation. Our domestic producers of these metals cannot compete with foreign imports, where the miners make only a few cents a day. As a result we find many of our domestic mines closed, with no prospects for reopening unless added protection is afforded. Just a few days ago a delegation from Colorado called on me to report the distressing conditions in the lead and zinc mines of our State. I know that similar conditions prevail in other States where these metals are produced.

This bill provides relief for our domestic producers of lead and zinc, by the imposition of a sliding scale stabilization import tax on both of these metals. This tax will be enforced only when the domestic market is below 15½ cents a pound.

This bill also provides, for the first time, that the impairment of our national security is to be considered by the Commission in determining the effect of imports on domestic producers. This applies particularly to our mining industry. We all know that mines cannot be opened and closed at the pleasure of the owner. Mines must continue to operate in order to be profitable. Our national security demands that we keep our mines open, so that we will not be dependent on foreign imports in case of war, and to keep our mines in operation we must give them the necessary protection.

Mr. Speaker, I am for this rule, and for the bill. I have referred to just a few of the domestic industries which will







83<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 4017

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 24 (legislative day, JULY 6), 1953

Read twice and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry

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## AN ACT

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5        therefor, to the England Special School District of the State  
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7        States in and to a parcel of land, and all improvements  
8        thereon, in the southwest quarter of section 35, township 1  
9        north, range 10 west, in Lonoke County, Arkansas, such con-  
10        veyance to be made only upon the agreement of the England

1 Special School District that all proceeds from the sale of the  
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3 school fixtures for the England Special School District, said  
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7 grees eight minutes west for a distance of two thousand and  
8 thirty feet to the west right-of-way line of project road;  
9 thence along said project road right-of-way line north one  
10 degree fifty-eight minutes east, for a distance of one thousand  
11 one hundred and seventy-two feet, more or less, to an iron  
12 pipe for the point of beginning; thence north eighty-eight  
13 degrees two minutes west for a distance of three hundred  
14 and forty feet to an iron pipe, thence north one degree  
15 fifty-eight minutes east for a distance of seven hundred and  
16 eight feet to an iron pipe; thence north twenty-seven de-  
17 grees thirty-two minutes east for a distance of three hundred  
18 and forty-seven feet to an iron pipe; thence south forty-four  
19 degrees thirteen minutes east for a distance of two hundred  
20 and sixty-three feet to an iron pipe; thence south one degree  
21 fifty-eight minutes west for a distance of eight hundred  
22 thirty-nine and five-tenths feet, more or less, to the point of

- 1 beginning, containing seven and three one-hundredths acres
- 2 more or less.

Passed the House of Representatives July 23, 1953.

Attest:

LYLE O. SNADER,

*Clerk.*

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# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Senate passed bills on Agriculture appropriations, and railroad retirement.
- Coosa River power development bill passed by House.
- Senate Committees on Agriculture and Labor approved miscellaneous bills.
- Bill extending training course program for Korean GI's approved by House committee.
- See lobbyists' registrations and quarterly reports.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages 7062-7070*

**Bills Introduced:** 8 bills were introduced, as follows:  
S. 3541 to S. 3548.

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**Bills Reported:** Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 251 authorizing expenditures of an additional \$5,000 by Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (S. Rept. 1478);

S. 2719, to prevent veterans from pursuing education or training in a foreign country when course is not in best interest of veteran or U. S. (S. Rept. 1479);

H. R. 8044, to extend authorization for the hospitalization of certain veterans in the Philippines, with an amendment (S. Rept. 1480);

S. 1244, relating to the renewal of contracts for carrying of mail on star routes, with an amendment (S. Rept. 1481);

S. 3318, to provide for continuance of civil government for the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (S. Rept. 1482);

H. R. 2016, private bill (S. Rept. 1483);

H. R. 2848, to place the wharves and landings constructed or controlled by Republic of Hawaii completely under the Territorial government (S. Rept. 1484);

H. R. 2849, to amend act authorizing transfer of certain land from War Department to Hawaii (S. Rept. 1485);

H. R. 5831, authorizing Hawaiian Homes Commission to exchange title to certain lands under its jurisdiction for publicly owned lands of equal value (S. Rept. 1486);

H. R. 5833, authorizing Hawaiian commissioner of public lands to exchange certain public lands for private lands of equal value for school purposes (S. Rept. 1487);

H. R. 5840, authorizing Hawaiian Homes Commission to exchange certain land and easements for privately owned lands (S. Rept. 1488);

H. R. 6328, permitting exchange of certain public lands in Waimea, Kauai, Hawaii (S. Rept. 1489);

H. R. 6890, to extend electric light and power franchise to cover Waimea and Koloa, Kauai, Hawaii (S. Rept. 1490);

H. R. 2844, to provide that the ratification of Hawaiian Revenue Bond Act of 1935 shall apply to all amendments thereto made by the Legislature of Hawaii through the 1951 regular session (S. Rept. 1491);

H. R. 6888, granting authority to Hawaiian Homes Commission to lease to natives homelands of irrigated pastoral lands (S. Rept. 1492);

S. 2900, authorizing sale of certain land in Alaska to Harding Lake Camp, Inc., with amendments (S. Rept. 1493);

S. 3336, to include Nevada in Columbia River water compact, with amendments (S. Rept. 1494); and

H. R. 6655, to amend the charter of the Columbia Institution for the Deaf (without written report).

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**Bill Referred:** One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee.

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**Commissioners' Expenses:** Senator Barrett entered motion to reconsider vote by which S. 2204, to provide that U. S. commissioners who are required to devote full time to the duties of the office may be allowed their necessary office expenses, passed Senate on call of calendar on June 1, and his motion to request House to return bill was adopted.

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**Agriculture Appropriations:** Senate passed with amendments H. R. 8779, Agriculture Department appropriations for fiscal year 1955, after taking the following additional actions on amendments:

Adopted: By 42 yeas to 40 nays, Douglas amendment to increase by \$35 million loan authorizations for rural electrification program (by 43 yeas to 39 nays, Long motion to table Douglas motion to reconsider vote by which this amendment had been adopted was agreed



to); modified Monroney amendment to increase by \$1 million funds for watershed protection, Soil Conservation Service; Eastland amendment providing for establishment of three additional cotton-classing offices in Mississippi; and Welker amendment to increase by \$60,000 funds for control of forest pests, Forest Service; and

Rejected: By 39 yeas to 43 nays, Long amendment increasing by \$10 million funds for school lunch program; and by 22 yeas to 61 nays, Morse amendment to increase by \$35 million funds that may be loaned to REA for rural electrification programs.

Senate requested conference on the bill and appointed as conferees Senators Young, Ferguson, McCarthy, Mundt, Aiken, Russell, Hayden, and McCarran.

Pages 7070-7091

**Railroad Retirement:** Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President H. R. 356, to amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, as amended, so as to eliminate the dual-benefit ban, after discharging Committee on Labor and Public Welfare from further consideration of this bill. S. 2178, a similar bill, was then indefinitely postponed.

Pages 7091, 7105-7109

**Collection of Indebtedness:** Senate proceeded to consideration of S. 2728, to authorize the collection of indebtedness of military and civilian personnel resulting from erroneous payments.

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**Nominations:** 23 Navy nominations were received.

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**Program for Thursday:** Senate recessed at 5:53 p. m. until noon Thursday, June 3, when it will continue on S. 2728, collection of indebtedness. H. R. 7839, Housing Act of 1954, will also be taken up, following consideration of S. 361, contracts for mail on water routes; H. R. 9004 (or S. 3457), a private bill; H. R. 5416, naval lieutenants' retirement; S. 978, amend Interstate Commerce Act; S. J. Res. 39, functioning of Congress in time of emergency; S. 44, appointment of deputy marshals; and H. R. 8571, naval vessel construction.

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### MISCELLANEOUS BILLS APPROVED

**Committee on Agriculture and Forestry:** Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following bills:

With an amendment—H. R. 6435, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act so as to include onions (amendment would provide that this act shall take effect 60 days after the date of its enactment); and

Without amendment—S. 2367, to amend the Bankhead-Jones Act to strengthen the conduct of research of the Agriculture Department; S. 2715, to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 relative to peanuts; S. 3207, to amend the Commodity Exchange Act

regarding registration and renewal fees; S. 3487, to authorize the Central Bank for Cooperatives and the regional banks for cooperatives to issue consolidated debentures; S. J. Res. 134, quitclaim deed to lands in Irwin County, Ga.; H. R. 107, transfer of the site of the original Fort Buford, N. Dak., to the State of North Dakota; H. R. 3097, transfer of certain land to University of California; and H. R. 4017, conveyance of certain land to England Special School District, Arkansas.

### MILITARY PUBLIC WORKS

**Committee on Armed Services:** Subcommittee on Real Estate and Military Construction continued its hearings on S. 3260, to authorize certain construction at military and naval installations and for the Alaska communications system, with further testimony on Army items from Brig. Gen. William A. Carter, Chief, Service Division, Office of Assistant Chief of Staff, G-4 (Logistics), Army. Also testifying today—on Air Force section of the bill—were Secretary Talbott, and Maj. Gen. Lee B. Washbourne, Office of Deputy Chief of Staff, Operations, Air Force.

The subcommittee also heard testimony from Senators Saltonstall and Kennedy with regard to S. 3430, authorizing lease of portions of the Boston Army Base.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

### GENERAL TAX REVISION

**Committee on Finance:** Committee continued its executive consideration of H. R. 8300, general tax revision bill, following which it announced that it had taken further tentative actions, as indicated below, with respect to the provisions contained in the House-passed version of the bill. Precise language for all the provisions will be available only when the committee has finished its consideration of the bill.

Section 101, Certain Death Benefits—Subsection (a), Proceeds of Life-Insurance Contracts Payable by Reason of Death: Largely present law. The committee accepted this provision, but restored a qualification in existing law omitted from the House bill. Under present law, in general where a life-insurance contract is transferred for valuable consideration only the consideration and subsequent premium payments are tax exempt. The committee restored this provision, but provided that it would not be applicable where there are legitimate business reasons for the transfer.

Subsection (b), Employee's Death Benefits: Includes three House amendments to the \$5,000 death benefit exclusion. The committee adopted this subsection, but the new House provision extending the exclusion in the case of profit-sharing or stock bonus plans to benefits to which the employee had a non-forfeitable right while living was further extended by the committee to cover lump-sum distributions from pension plans.

Subsection (c), Interest: In effect present law. Accepted by committee.

Subsection (d), Payment of Life-Insurance Proceeds at a Date Later Than Death: New House provision limiting the interest exclusion in connection with life-insurance installment proceeds to \$500 a year for the widow of the decedent and \$250 a year for lineal descendants and ancestors of the decedent. The committee raised this exclusion to \$1,000 a year for the widow and removed the exclusion entirely in the case of other beneficiaries.







## CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

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JUNE 3 (legislative day, MAY 13), 1954.—Ordered to be printed

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Mr. AIKEN, from the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, submitted the following

## REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 4017]

The Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 4017) to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas, having considered the same, report thereon with a recommendation that it do pass without amendment.

This bill directs the Secretary of Agriculture to quitclaim to the England Special School District the interest of the United States in 7.03 acres of land and the school facilities located thereon. The interest of the United States consists of a reversionary right based on use of the property for school and community purposes, and the bill provides that proceeds from the sale of the property by the school district shall be used exclusively to acquire permanent school fixtures, the property itself being no longer needed for school purposes in view of the consolidation of the Toltec and England School Districts.

The report of the Department of Agriculture is as follows:

## DEPARTMENT VIEWS

MAY 28, 1953.

Hon. CLIFFORD R. HOPE,  
*Chairman, Committee on Agriculture,*  
*House of Representatives.*

DEAR MR. HOPE: This is in response to your request for a report from this Department on H. R. 4017, a bill to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas.

This bill would authorize and direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey by quitclaim deed to the England Special School District, all the right, title, and interest of the United States to 7.03 acres of land, and the school facilities located thereon. This conveyance would involve the payment of no consideration to the United States by the school district. The interest of the United States in the real estate described in H. R. 4017 is a reversionary right to the return of this land and school facilities which were granted to the Toltec School District No. 91,

Lonoke County, Ark., by deed dated October 20, 1944, should the property cease to be used for public school and community purposes. The Toltec School District No. 91 has been consolidated with the England Special School District and it is proposed that the England Special School District be permitted to sell the land and facilities located thereon, and use the proceeds to acquire permanent school fixtures for the England Special School District.

Since the action proposed by this bill would result in substantial compliance with the original objective of the grant which was to make the facilities available for public school and community purposes, we recommend the bill be enacted.

The enactment of this legislation will not require any appropriation or require the expenditure of any funds presently available.

The Bureau of the Budget has no objection to the submission of this report.

Sincerely yours,

TRUE D. MORSE, *Acting Secretary.*

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# H. R. 4017

[Report No. 1500]

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Reported by Mr. AIKEN, without amendment

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Passed the House of Representatives July 23, 1953.

Attest:

LYLE O. SNADER,

*Clerk.*



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day, holiday, and overtime services performed after August 31, 1931, and not heretofore paid in accordance with existing law was announced as next in order.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The resolution (S. Res. 207) requiring a yea-and-nay vote on the question of advising and consenting to the ratification of treaties was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the resolution?

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Over by request.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The resolution will be passed over.

The bill (S. 42) to provide for attorneys' liens in proceedings before the courts or other departments and agencies of the United States was announced as next in order.

Mr. LANGER. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3200) to amend section 3 of the Travel Expense Act of 1949, as amended, to provide an increased maximum per diem allowance for subsistence and travel expenses was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. LANGER. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 692) to prohibit discrimination in employment because of race, color, religion, national origin, or ancestry was announced as next in order.

Mr. HOLLAND. I ask that the bill go over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 7460) to pay Warren P. Hoover for services rendered the Army of the United States was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2910) providing for the creation of certain United States judgeships, and for other purposes was announced as next in order.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Mr. President, here again is a bill which should have more consideration than can be given on the call of the calendar, so I ask that it go over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 44) to provide for the appointment of deputy United States marshals without regard to the provisions of the civil service laws and regulations was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. By request, I ask that the bill go over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2373) to limit in certain cases the power of a single justice or judge of the United States to grant a

stay of execution or sentence in connection with a habeas corpus proceeding or other proceeding collaterally attacking the conviction of any person was announced as next in order.

Mr. MORSE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2020) to amend section 433 of title 18, United States Code, relating to exemptions with respect to certain contracts was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

#### CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN LAND TO ENGLAND SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, ARKANSAS—BILL PASSED OVER

The bill (H. R. 4017) to provide the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. MORSE. Mr. President, for the purpose of the RECORD, I wish to make a very brief statement about the bill. The land in question was deeded to the school district concerned in October 1944, for school purposes. A reversionary right was retained by the United States Government, with the understanding, of course, under the reversionary clause, that the land was to revert to the United States Government if it was not used for school purposes.

The land is no longer needed for school purposes because of a consolidation of school districts. The school district now wants to sell the land and use the proceeds from the sale to buy school fixtures. Of course, no consideration is to be received by the Federal Government for the land.

It seems to me that, at least, the Government should receive 50 percent of the appraised fair market value under the reversionary clause because, if that is not done, the Government will be faced with an unusual situation. I speak as one who is an ardent supporter of Federal aid to education. We shall be selecting, on a random basis, specific grants in aid to certain favored school districts by simply having their representatives in Congress introduce what amounts, in effect, to private bills. In my opinion, the principle is wrong, though the objective is right, but there should be a uniform policy in such matters. Certainly, for a purpose such as this, I believe 50 percent of the appraised fair market value of the reversionary interest should be paid into the Treasury of the United States. Therefore, I object.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection is heard. The bill will be passed over.

#### BILLS PASSED OVER

The bill (S. 23) to make it unlawful for a member of a Communist organ-

ization to hold an office or employment with any labor organization and to permit the discharge by employers of persons who are members of organizations designated as subversive by the Attorney General of the United States was announced as next in order.

Mr. LANGER. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 303) to transfer the maintenance and operation of hospital and health facilities for Indians to the Public Health Service, and for other purposes, was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. By request, I ask that the bill go over.

#### MINING, DEVELOPMENT, AND UTILIZATION OF MINERAL RESOURCES OF PUBLIC LANDS—BILL PASSED OVER

The bill (H. R. 3915) to permit the mining, development, and utilization of the mineral resources of all public lands withdrawn or reserved for power development, and for other purposes, was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. BUTLER of Nebraska. Mr. President, a member of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, who is interested in the bill, the Senator from New Mexico [Mr. ANDERSON], I think would object if he were present, so I ask that the bill go over.

Mr. MORSE. Mr. President, I desire to cooperate with the Senator from Nebraska in connection with the bill, so that the bill may be passed at an early date, on a basis which I think will protect the public interest. The Senator from Nebraska has indicated that a member of the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs is considering a series of amendments, and I am aware of that fact. That member of the committee, as well as the Senator from Oregon, have discussed the bill with certain officials of the Forest Service, and I am advised that there is no objection to the objective of the bill, but the difficulty, on the basis of the advice I received from the Forest Service, is that there is a loophole, or a possible loophole, which would result in not protecting the public interest. Under the pretext of seeking to develop mineral claims and seeking to obtain mineral claims, it would be possible for a group to obtain very valuable timberland.

There is a very real possibility that there would be involved a piece of land containing \$750,000 worth of timber, which would be available to persons making a claim that they were seeking to develop the mineral resources of the land. According to their view that would be a "real haul" by way of obtaining timber on land which would have to be cleared on the pretext that they were clearing the land to develop it for mineral purposes.

I do not think there is an insurmountable barrier to the passage of the bill. I believe the difficulty can be worked out. As I have said, I desire to help, and I



trust that on the next call of the calendar some simple amendments will be offered which will protect the public interest in such a case as that which I have mentioned. I want my friend, the Senator from Nebraska, to cooperate in connection with such amendments. I am going to insist that such amendments be added to the bill, and they will be offered before the next call of the calendar.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Objection being heard, the bill will go over.

#### PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION — RESOLUTION PASSED OVER

The resolution (S. Res. 144) requiring a ye and nay vote on the passage of joint resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution, was announced as next in order.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Mr. President, by request, because the resolution relates to amendment of the Constitution, I ask that the resolution go over. However, I hope that the majority leader will call the resolution up for action in the not too distant future.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The resolution will go over.

#### BILLS PASSED OVER

The bill (S. 3198) to amend section 1 (d) of the Helium Act (50 U. S. C. 161 (d)) and to repeal section 3 (13) of the act entitled "An act to amend or repeal certain Government property laws, and for other purposes," was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3243) to amend the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1940, as amended, to extend until June 30, 1955, the period during which disposals of surplus property may be made by negotiation, was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3199) to authorize additional use of Government motor vehicles at isolated Government installations, and for other purposes, was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2980) conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York to hear, determine, and render judgment upon a claim of the Bunker Hill Development Corp., was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 2815) for the relief of Floyd C. Barber was announced as next in order.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 2876) for the relief of Leo F. Pinder was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 4104) for the relief of Frank St. Charles was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 4329) for the relief of Huntington, McLaren & Co. was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 6033) for the relief of Albert Vincent, Sr., was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

#### LT. COMDR. COOK CLELAND—BILL PASSED OVER

The bill (H. R. 5572) for the relief of Lt. Comdr. Cook Cleland was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Mr. President, may we have an explanation of the bill, for the purpose of the Record?

Mr. LANGER. Mr. President, the bill awards the sum of \$435 to a naval officer in payment of five money orders which he purchased on or about September 12, 1942, aboard the U. S. S. *Wasp*, and which were lost, together with all records pertaining thereto, when the *Wasp* was sunk by enemy action on September 15, 1942.

This award is based upon the affidavit of loss executed by the claimant, and another affidavit, executed by another naval officer on the *Wasp*, tending to corroborate the claimant's statement. While the evidence is not as complete as the committee would have liked, the committee felt that it formed sufficient basis for resolving any doubt in favor of the claimant.

I might say that the committee was unanimous in approving the bill.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Suppose the money had been in the form of cash in the officer's possession, and not money orders. Could he have recovered if there had been a loss of the cash?

Mr. LANGER. I doubt if he could recover. However, there are some records showing that they were money orders.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. There may have been seamen aboard the *Wasp* who lost money, and the amounts may have been very sizable, according to their needs. I wonder if the passage of the bill would not show discrimination.

Mr. LANGER. I do not think any discrimination would be shown. The officer in question bought the money orders. He made an affidavit that he was on the *Wasp*. The ship was sunk. There is an affidavit from another officer that the ship was sunk. The money orders were never cashed. They were paid for. I do not see why he should not get the money.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Does the Sen-

ator from North Dakota feel that the equities justify the passage of the bill?

Mr. LANGER. I do.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Very well. I shall withdraw my objection.

Mr. SMATHERS. Mr. President, I ask that the bill go over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

#### GRANT OF OIL AND GAS IN LANDS AND ISSUANCE OF PATENTS IN FEE ON THE FORT PECK INDIAN RESERVATION, MONT.

The bill (H. R. 3413) to grant oil and gas in lands and to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue patents in fee on the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, Mont., to individual Indians in certain cases was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

#### PAYMENT OF SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF OFFICIALS OF THE FORT PECK TRIBES

The bill (H. R. 6154) to authorize payment of salaries and expenses of officials of the Fort Peck tribes was announced as next in order.

Mr. BUTLER of Nebraska. Mr. President, I ask that the bill go to the foot of the calendar. We shall ask to have it called later in the day.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, the bill will go to the foot of the calendar.

Mr. BUTLER of Nebraska subsequently said: Mr. President, I wish to withdraw the request that I made with reference to House bill 6154, and ask that it be considered at this time.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will state the bill by title.

The LEGISLATIVE CLERK. A bill (H. R. 6154) to authorize payment of salaries and expenses of officials of the Fort Peck tribes.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

There being no objection, the bill was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

#### BILL PASSED OVER

The bill (S. 3385) to provide for more effective extension work among Indian tribes and members thereof, and for other purposes, was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

#### RATIFICATION OF SETTLEMENT CONTRACTS WITH THE SIOUX INDIANS, SOUTH DAKOTA

The bill (H. R. 2231) to authorize the negotiation and ratification of separate settlement contracts with the Sioux Indians of the Lower Brule and the Crow Creek Reservations in South Dakota for the Fort Randall Dam, and for other purposes, was announced as next in order.







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Mr. HENDRICKSON. Mr. President, by request, I ask that the bill go over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 692) to prohibit discrimination in employment because of race, color, religion, national origin, or ancestry was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2910) providing for the creation of certain United States judge-ships, and for other purposes, was announced as next in order.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Mr. President, this is clearly not calendar business. For that reason, I ask that the bill go over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 44) to provide for the appointment of deputy United States marshals without regard to the provisions of the civil service laws and regulations was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2373) to limit in certain cases the power of a single justice or judge of the United States to grant a stay of execution or sentence in connection with a habeas corpus proceeding or other proceeding collaterally attacking the conviction of any person was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. By request, over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2020) to amend section 433 of title 18, United States Code, relating to exemptions with respect to certain contracts was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

#### CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN LAND IN ARKANSAS—BILL PLACED AT FOOT OF CALENDAR

The bill (H. R. 4017) to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. MORSE. Mr. President, I ask for an explanation, please.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. An explanation has been requested.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Mr. President, the chairman of the committee does not seem to be present on the floor. I therefore ask unanimous consent that the bill go to the foot of the calendar.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, the bill will go to the foot of the calendar.

#### BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS PASSED OVER

The bill (S. 23) to make it unlawful for a member of a Communist organization to hold an office or employment with any

labor organization and to permit the discharge by employers of persons who are members of organizations designated as subversive by the Attorney General of the United States was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 3915) to permit the mining, development, and utilization of the mineral resources of all public lands withdrawn or reserved for power development and for other purposes was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The resolution (S. Res. 144) requiring a ye and nay vote on the passage of joint resolutions proposing amendments to the Constitution was announced as next in order.

Mr. KNOWLAND. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The resolution will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3199) to authorize additional use of Government motor vehicles at isolated Government installations, and for other purposes was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

#### LEO F. PINDER

The Senate proceeded to consider the bill (H. R. 2876) for the relief of Leo F. Pinder, which had been reported from the Committee on the Judiciary with an amendment, on page 2, line 7, after the word "act", to strike out "in excess of 10 percent thereof."

The amendment was agreed to.

The amendment was ordered to be engrossed and the bill to be read a third time.

The bill was read the third time and passed.

#### BILLS PASSED OVER

The bill (H. R. 4104) for the relief of Frank St. Charles was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 6033) for the relief of Albert Vincent, Sr., was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 5572) for the relief of Lt. Comdr. Cook Cleland was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3158) to eliminate cumulative voting of shares of stock in the election of directors of national banking associates was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3190) to amend section 3 of the act of January 2, 1951, prohibit-

ing the transportation of gambling devices in interstate and foreign commerce was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over, by request.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3542) to prohibit transmission of certain gambling information in interstate and foreign commerce by communications facilities was announced as next in order.

Mr. SMATHERS. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 3435) to amend the act relating to the administration of the Washington National Airport to incorporate the Washington National Airport Corp., and for other purposes was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 7395) to amend the definition of "airman" in the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, and for other purposes was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (H. R. 7815) to provide for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the Cougar Dam and Reservoir on the South Fork McKenzie River, Oregon, with participation for power by the city of Eugene, Oreg., was announced as next in order.

Mr. MORSE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 880) to amend the license law of the District of Columbia was announced as next in order.

Mr. GORE. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

The bill (S. 2601) to provide for Federal financial assistance to the States and Territories in the construction of public elementary and secondary school facilities was announced as next in order.

Mr. RUSSELL. Over.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill will be passed over.

Mr. COOPER subsequently said: Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate return to Calendar No. 1797, Senate bill 2601. If consent is granted, it is my purpose to request unanimous consent that the bill be placed at the foot of the calendar, because I should like to speak briefly on the bill, in the hope that the Senators who have objected may withdraw their objections.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair will state that the Senator from Georgia [Mr. RUSSELL] entered objection to the bill. The Chair does not see the Senator from Georgia on the floor at this time, but the Chair will ask whether there is objection to the unanimous-consent request of the Senator from Kentucky.

Mr. SMATHERS. Mr. President, within the last 5 days, this is about the third time we have reached this bill on the calendar. Most Senators on this side of the aisle are very much in favor of the bill, and I think there are some on



the other side of the aisle who are very much in favor of it. It is a matter of great importance to the school people all over the country.

It seems to me that, rather than aggravate this matter—and I say this in all kindness, nonetheless—for political purposes, the fact is that the bill can be scheduled for debate and passage at any time that the majority leader decides to have that done.

So far as I am concerned, we have had this bill up on three different occasions. If the Senator from Kentucky wishes to submit a statement for the RECORD, well and good; we have no objection.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Kentucky has asked unanimous consent that the Senate return to Calendar No. 1797, Senate bill 2601, to which the Senator from Georgia [Mr. RUSSELL] had entered objection.

Mr. COOPER. My purpose is simply to request unanimous consent that the bill be placed at the foot of the calendar, not that it be debated at this time.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Mr. SMATHERS. Mr. President, reserving the right to object—

Mr. RUSSELL. Mr. President, I have no objection to having the Senator from Kentucky make any statement he may see fit to make, under the rules, at the present time, but I know of no reason why the bill should again go to the foot of the calendar. I believe it has already taken that course on at least two other occasions, and perhaps more.

If the Senator from Kentucky wishes to make a further statement with respect to the bill, I have no objection to returning to the bill for that purpose; but I see no reason why the bill should be placed at the foot of the calendar.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the unanimous-consent request of the Senator from Kentucky?

Mr. COOPER. Mr. President, let me say to my good friend, the distinguished Senator from Georgia, that I did not wish to interrupt the call of the calendar at this time in order to make a statement on the bill.

However, the bill is important; and if it can be placed at the foot of the calendar, I should like to speak at that time to point out to the Senate why I believe the bill is important—and with the hope that the objection which has been made will be withdrawn, or that perhaps the bill will be placed on the schedule for passage at this session.

Mr. KNOWLAND. Mr. President, a parliamentary inquiry.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from California will state it.

Mr. KNOWLAND. In accordance with the very fair suggestion of the Senator from Georgia—who, as I understand, has no objection to returning to the bill at this point, so that under the 5-minute rule the Senator from Kentucky can make whatever explanation of the bill he wishes to make—then, I suppose, all Senators will be able to reserve judgment as to what statement of objection or what other statement they may care to make.

So I think we shall facilitate the handling of the matter if such consent is

granted, so that the Senator from Kentucky may make his statement now.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the request of the Senator from Kentucky?

Without objection, the Senate will now return to Calendar No. 1797, Senate bill 2601.

The question is, Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. COOPER. Mr. President, as we near the close of the session, and inasmuch as I feel very deeply about the importance of the bill, I wish to explain at this time the purpose of the bill, S. 2601, entitled the "Emergency Public School Construction Act of 1954."

The Senate will remember that 4 years ago the Congress directed that a survey be made of school facilities in the United States, and particularly of the availability of classrooms for the school-children of the country. The survey was made, and the results of the survey should address themselves to every Member of the Congress. The survey shows that in the United States there is a deficit of classrooms needed to properly house at least 7½ million children—a deficit of approximately 250,000 classrooms. The survey further shows that the total cost of providing the needed classrooms would amount to approximately \$10 billion or \$12 billion. The survey indicates that local governments and local school boards are able to provide perhaps \$5 billion or \$6 billion of the \$10 billion or \$12 billion needed to make whole the deficit.

President Eisenhower, in his message to the Congress on the state of the Union last year, stated as one of his recommendations that the Congress should take account of this need, one which relates directly to the education of the children of the Nation, and should make provision for assisting in the construction of school facilities.

As a result of the President's suggestion, several bills were introduced in the House of Representatives and in the Senate. I introduced Senate bill 2601. Hearings were held by the Senate Committee on Labor and Education and Public Welfare; and after comprehensive hearings and discussion by the committee, Senate bill 2601 was reported to the Senate by the unanimous vote of the members of the committee. I reported the bill, and there are joined as sponsors the distinguished chairman of our committee, Senator SMITH of New Jersey, and Senators UPTON, BOWRING, MURRAY, HILL, NEELY, CLEMENTS, DOUGLAS, KENNEDY, and McCLELLAN. S. 2601 is an emergency bill. It authorizes for each of the next 2 fiscal years, ending July 1, 1956, an appropriation of \$250 million for each of the 2 years. The bill provides that the money shall be apportioned to the States on the basis of a formula which is well known to the Senate; it is the Hill-Burton formula, used in the allocation of funds for hospital construction. One-half of the allocations to the States will be based upon the Hill-Burton formula, which takes into consideration both school population, and the relative per capita income of the States.

In order to be fair to all of the States, particularly those States in the North who believe the Hill-Burton formula too favorable to the lower-income States, one-half of the allocation takes into account the school population and school age, 5 to 17 years in all the States. Control is left entirely to the States. The States will submit to the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare a list of schools based on the priority of need for assistance—listing the school districts in greatest need. Then if the programs are approved—and approval is practically mandatory—40 percent of the cost would be supplied through use of Federal funds authorized by this act, and the remaining 60 percent would be paid by the local agencies. I will file later a complete statement showing the need for school rooms and the help that my bill would give to each State.

I believe this is a bill of importance. It affects all the school children in the country. It would help a deficit in classrooms and school facilities which has been ascertained by virtue of the report directed by the Congress itself. I have urged again and again that this bill be brought up for passage before the Congress adjourns. I ask that the Members of the Senate be given a chance to express themselves on this important bill. It is a bill for the school children, for the youth of the Nation, and will strengthen this country.

Mr. MORSE. Mr. President, will the Senator yield for a question?

Mr. COOPER. I thank the distinguished Senator from Florida for yielding to me for this statement.

Mr. MORSE. Mr. President, will the Senator yield for a question?

Mr. COOPER. I yield.

Mr. MORSE. Does the Senator from Kentucky agree with me that this bill seeks to effectuate and implement the great educational tenet of one of the country's greatest Democrats, Thomas Jefferson, who said that the strength of a democracy can be no greater than the enlightenment of its people?

Mr. COOPER. I believe so.

I might say also that a Senator who just recently served among us in this chamber—one considered to be a great American conservative, one who was also one of the great American liberals, in his concern for individual freedom, and opportunity were—the late Senator from Ohio, Robert A. Taft, again and again sponsored bills such as this; and urged and secured, with the help of other Senators, their passage by the Senate. I earnestly urge that we be given the chance to vote on this bill for the school children of America.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator's 5 minutes have expired.

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Mr. President, as chairman of the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, I rise to endorse the statement made by the Senator from Kentucky [Mr. COOPER].

The Committee on Labor and Public Welfare considered a number of bills in this field. The distinguished Senator from Kentucky [Mr. COOPER] was chairman of a very able subcommittee, which examined all those bills. We had the



Calendar No. 2010, House bill 7774; Calendar 2284, House bill 3534; and Calendar 2313, Senate bill 2564.

The clerk will state the first bill.

#### CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN LAND IN ARKANSAS

The bill (H. R. 4017) to provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas was announced as next in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

Mr. MORSE. Mr. President, I asked that the bill go to the foot of the calendar, so that I could study it. I have studied it, and, in my judgment, the bill in no way violates the Morse formula. This is a case in which property was conveyed originally for school purposes. There has been a consolidation of country schools. It is now desired to make use of the value of the property in order to buy fixtures for the new consolidated schools. In my opinion, this is completely in line with the original grant. I have no objection.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection to the present consideration of the bill?

There being no objection, the bill was considered, ordered to a third reading, read the third time, and passed.

#### BILL PLACED AT FOOT OF CALENDAR

The bill (H. R. 951) for the relief of the Trust Association of H. Kempner was announced as next in order.

Mr. HENDRICKSON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the bill be placed at the foot of the calendar.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. At the foot of the present calendar?

Mr. HENDRICKSON. At the foot of the new calendar to be called. I understand the majority leader intends to call up a new order of bills. I ask that this bill go to the foot of that call.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### UNIFORM SYSTEM OF GRANTING INCENTIVE AWARDS

The bill (H. R. 7774) to establish a uniform system for the granting of incentive awards to officers and employees of the United States, and for other purposes, was announced as next in order.

Mr. KNOWLAND. Mr. President, this is the postal-pay-increase bill. An amendment which I have had prepared is at the desk.

I understand that the Senator from Tennessee [Mr. GORE] desires to suggest the absence of a quorum.

Mr. GORE. Does the Senator from California desire to complete action on the other bills?

Mr. KNOWLAND. I should prefer to have this bill considered now, because I must attend conferences later.

Mr. GORE. I suggest the absence of a quorum.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will call the roll.

The Chief Clerk called the roll, and the following Senators answered to their names:

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| Aiken     | Green           | McCarran     |
| Anderson  | Hayden          | McCarthy     |
| Barrett   | Hendrickson     | McClellan    |
| Beall     | Hennings        | Millikin     |
| Bennett   | Hickenlooper    | Monroney     |
| Bowring   | Hill            | Morse        |
| Bricker   | Holland         | Mundt        |
| Bush      | Humphrey        | Murray       |
| Butler    | Ives            | Neely        |
| Carlson   | Jackson         | Pastore      |
| Case      | Johnson, Colo.  | Payne        |
| Chavez    | Johnson, Tex.   | Potter       |
| Clements  | Johnston, S. C. | Purtell      |
| Cooper    | Kefauver        | Reynolds     |
| Cordon    | Kennedy         | Robertson    |
| Crippa    | Kerr            | Russell      |
| Dirksen   | Kilgore         | Saltonstall  |
| Duff      | Knowland        | Schoeppel    |
| Dworshak  | Kuchel          | Smathers     |
| Ellender  | Langer          | Smith, Maine |
| Ervin     | Lehman          | Smith, N. J. |
| Ferguson  | Lennon          | Stennis      |
| Frear     | Long            | Symington    |
| Fulbright | Magnuson        | Thye         |
| George    | Malone          | Watkins      |
| Goldwater | Mansfield       | Williams     |
| Gore      | Martin          | Young        |

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. Ives in the chair). A quorum is present.

Mr. KNOWLAND. Mr. President, there has been placed at the desk a copy of the amendments which I have prepared to the bill. I have also given a copy of the amendments to the distinguished chairman of the committee, the Senator from Kansas [Mr. CARLSON].

Mr. GORE. Mr. President, a point of order. The bill has not been stated.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bill was stated before the quorum call.

Mr. GORE. It was?

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Yes.

Mr. KNOWLAND. Yes, it was stated, and I was reserving the right to object.

| Grade |       | Per annum rates |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|-------|-------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| GS-1  | ----- | \$2,500         | \$2,580 | \$2,660 | \$2,740 | \$2,820 | \$2,900 | \$2,980 |
| GS-2  | ----- | 2,750           | 2,830   | 2,910   | 2,990   | 3,070   | 3,150   | 3,230   |
| GS-3  | ----- | 3,000           | 3,080   | 3,160   | 3,240   | 3,320   | 3,400   | 3,480   |
| GS-4  | ----- | 3,250           | 3,330   | 3,410   | 3,490   | 3,570   | 3,650   | 3,730   |
| GS-5  | ----- | 3,600           | 3,725   | 3,850   | 3,975   | 4,100   | 4,225   | 4,350   |
| GS-6  | ----- | 4,000           | 4,125   | 4,250   | 4,375   | 4,500   | 4,625   | 4,750   |
| GS-7  | ----- | 4,440           | 4,525   | 4,650   | 4,775   | 4,900   | 5,025   | 5,150   |
| GS-8  | ----- | 4,800           | 4,925   | 5,050   | 5,175   | 5,300   | 5,425   | 5,550   |
| GS-9  | ----- | 5,300           | 5,425   | 5,550   | 5,675   | 5,800   | 5,925   | 6,050   |
| GS-10 | ----- | 5,800           | 5,925   | 6,050   | 6,175   | 6,300   | 6,425   | 6,550   |
| GS-11 | ----- | 6,400           | 6,600   | 6,800   | 7,000   | 7,200   | 7,400   |         |
| GS-12 | ----- | 7,500           | 7,700   | 7,900   | 8,100   | 8,300   | 8,500   |         |
| GS-13 | ----- | 8,800           | 9,000   | 9,200   | 9,400   | 9,600   | 9,800   |         |
| GS-14 | ----- | 10,200          | 10,400  | 10,600  | 10,800  | 11,000  | 11,200  |         |
| GS-15 | ----- | 11,600          | 11,850  | 12,100  | 12,350  | 12,600  |         |         |
| GS-16 | ----- | 12,800          |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| GS-17 | ----- | 13,800          |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| GS-18 | ----- | 14,800          |         |         |         |         |         |         |

"(c) (1) The compensation schedule for the crafts, protective, and custodial schedule shall be as follows:

| Grade  |       | Per annum rates |         |         |         |         |         |         |
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| CPC-1  | ----- | \$1,810         | \$1,870 | \$1,930 | \$1,990 | \$2,050 | \$2,110 | \$2,170 |
| CPC-2  | ----- | 2,420           | 2,490   | 2,560   | 2,630   | 2,700   | 2,770   | 2,840   |
| CPC-3  | ----- | 2,552           | 2,632   | 2,712   | 2,792   | 2,872   | 2,952   | 3,032   |
| CPC-4  | ----- | 2,750           | 2,830   | 2,910   | 2,990   | 3,070   | 3,150   | 3,230   |
| CPC-5  | ----- | 3,000           | 3,080   | 3,160   | 3,240   | 3,320   | 3,400   | 3,480   |
| CPC-6  | ----- | 3,250           | 3,330   | 3,410   | 3,490   | 3,570   | 3,650   | 3,730   |
| CPC-7  | ----- | 3,600           | 3,700   | 3,800   | 3,900   | 4,000   | 4,100   | 4,200   |
| CPC-8  | ----- | 4,000           | 4,125   | 4,250   | 4,375   | 4,500   | 4,625   | 4,750   |
| CPC-9  | ----- | 4,400           | 4,525   | 4,650   | 4,775   | 4,900   | 5,025   | 5,150   |
| CPC-10 | ----- | 4,800           | 4,925   | 5,050   | 5,175   | 5,300   | 5,425   | 5,550   |

"(2) Charwomen working part time shall be paid at the rate of \$2,700 per annum, and head charwomen working part time at the rate of \$2,840 per annum."

On page 9, lines 8 and 9, strike out "as provided in this section, he shall continue to receive basic compensation", and insert, "he shall receive a rate of basic compensation at the maximum longevity rate of his grade as provided in this section, or his existing rate, whichever is greater."

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The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair apologizes for interrupting the Senator from California, but there must be order in the Senate Chamber. The Chair does not think the Senator can be heard. Those who are conversing will kindly cease to converse.

The Senator from California will resume.

Mr. KNOWLAND. I thank the Chair, because my voice is still a little hoarse from a cold. It may be my fault as much as the noise in the Senate.

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I ask unanimous consent to have the series of amendments proposed to be offered by me printed in the RECORD at this point.

There being no objection, the amendments were ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

On page 7 beginning with line 13, strike out over through line 5 on page 8, and insert the following:

"(b) The compensation schedule for the General Schedule shall be as follows:

| Grade |       | Per annum rates |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|-------|-------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| GS-1  | ----- | \$2,500         | \$2,580 | \$2,660 | \$2,740 | \$2,820 | \$2,900 | \$2,980 |
| GS-2  | ----- | 2,750           | 2,830   | 2,910   | 2,990   | 3,070   | 3,150   | 3,230   |
| GS-3  | ----- | 3,000           | 3,080   | 3,160   | 3,240   | 3,320   | 3,400   | 3,480   |
| GS-4  | ----- | 3,250           | 3,330   | 3,410   | 3,490   | 3,570   | 3,650   | 3,730   |
| GS-5  | ----- | 3,600           | 3,725   | 3,850   | 3,975   | 4,100   | 4,225   | 4,350   |
| GS-6  | ----- | 4,000           | 4,125   | 4,250   | 4,375   | 4,500   | 4,625   | 4,750   |
| GS-7  | ----- | 4,440           | 4,525   | 4,650   | 4,775   | 4,900   | 5,025   | 5,150   |
| GS-8  | ----- | 4,800           | 4,925   | 5,050   | 5,175   | 5,300   | 5,425   | 5,550   |
| GS-9  | ----- | 5,300           | 5,425   | 5,550   | 5,675   | 5,800   | 5,925   | 6,050   |
| GS-10 | ----- | 5,800           | 5,925   | 6,050   | 6,175   | 6,300   | 6,425   | 6,550   |
| GS-11 | ----- | 6,400           | 6,600   | 6,800   | 7,000   | 7,200   | 7,400   |         |
| GS-12 | ----- | 7,500           | 7,700   | 7,900   | 8,100   | 8,300   | 8,500   |         |
| GS-13 | ----- | 8,800           | 9,000   | 9,200   | 9,400   | 9,600   | 9,800   |         |
| GS-14 | ----- | 10,200          | 10,400  | 10,600  | 10,800  | 11,000  | 11,200  |         |
| GS-15 | ----- | 11,600          | 11,850  | 12,100  | 12,350  | 12,600  |         |         |
| GS-16 | ----- | 12,800          |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| GS-17 | ----- | 13,800          |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| GS-18 | ----- | 14,800          |         |         |         |         |         |         |

"(c) (1) The compensation schedule for the crafts, protective, and custodial schedule shall be as follows:

| Grade  |       | Per annum rates |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|--------|-------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| CPC-1  | ----- | \$1,810         | \$1,870 | \$1,930 | \$1,990 | \$2,050 | \$2,110 | \$2,170 |
| CPC-2  | ----- | 2,420           | 2,490   | 2,560   | 2,630   | 2,700   | 2,770   | 2,840   |
| CPC-3  | ----- | 2,552           | 2,632   | 2,712   | 2,792   | 2,872   | 2,952   | 3,032   |
| CPC-4  | ----- | 2,750           | 2,830   | 2,910   | 2,990   | 3,070   | 3,150   | 3,230   |
| CPC-5  | ----- | 3,000           | 3,080   | 3,160   | 3,240   | 3,320   | 3,400   | 3,480   |
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On page 9, lines 20 and 21, strike out "as provided in this section, he shall continue to receive basic compensation" and insert, "he shall receive a rate of basic compensation at the maximum scheduled rate of his grade as provided in this section, or his existing rate, whichever is greater."

On page 10, line 11, strike out "5 percent" and insert "3½ percent."

On page 10, lines 12 and 13, strike out



"\$440 per annum or less than \$170 per annum", and insert "\$410 per annum."

On page 11, line 1, strike out "5" and insert "3½."

On page 11, beginning with the comma in line 10, strike out down through the words "per annum" in line 12.

On page 11, line 15, strike out "\$12,086" and insert "\$12,056."

On page 11, line 20, strike out "\$2,160" and insert "\$1,380."

On page 11, line 22, strike out "\$2,400" and insert "\$1,620."

On page 11, line 25, strike out "\$3,120" and insert "\$1,860."

On page 12, line 3, strike out "\$3,180" and insert "\$1,920."

On page 12, line 10, strike out "\$6,180" and insert "\$6,060."

On page 12, line 11, strike out "\$7,620" and insert "\$7,560."

On page 12, line 12, strike out "\$8,640" and insert "\$8,580."

On page 12, line 20, strike out "5" and insert "3½."

On page 12, line 21, strike out "\$440 per annum" and insert "\$410 per annum."

On page 12, strike out line 22.

On page 13, line 8, strike out "5" and insert "3½."

On page 14, line 2, strike out "\$14,240" and insert "\$14,210."

On page 14, line 8, strike out "5" and insert "3½."

On page 14, lines 9 and 10, strike out "\$440 per annum or less than \$170 per annum" and insert "\$410 per annum."

On page 14, line 13, strike out "\$13,240" and insert "\$13,210."

On page 14, line 16, strike out "5" and insert "3½."

On page 14, line 17, strike out "\$440" and insert "\$410 per annum."

On page 14, line 18, strike out line 18.

On page 15, strike out lines 10 to 23, inclusive.

Renumber sections 202 to 207, inclusive, as sections 201 to 206, respectively.

"Sec. 207. (a) The Postmaster General is authorized and directed to make a thorough investigation and study of various methods for the classification of positions and the determination of salaries in the postal field service and all matters relating thereto (including personnel and pay benefits and administration), in order to provide a plan (to be submitted by the Postmaster General to, and to be subject to review by, the Congress, in accordance with the provisions of this section and section 10) for the establishment of a uniform, integrated, and equitable classification and pay system for all postmasters, officers, employees, and positions in the postal field service. Such classification and pay plan for the postal field service shall provide a method for determining the rates of basic compensation which postmasters, officers, and employees shall receive under which—

"(1) the principle of equal pay for substantially equal work shall be followed; and

"(2) variations in rates of basic compensation paid to different postmasters, officers, and employees shall be in proportion to substantial differences in the difficulty, responsibility, and qualification requirements of the work performed and to the contributions of postmasters, officers, and employees to efficiency and economy in the postal field service.

Such plan shall contain compensation schedules which set forth the various grades to which positions in the postal field service are to be allocated and provide the rates of basic compensation, and the ranges of such rates, which are to be applicable to such grades. Such plan also shall contain provisions which—

"(A) grant to personnel in the postal field service the right to obtain appropriate re-

view by the Civil Service Commission of all classifications of their positions:

"(B) prohibit reductions in the rates of basic compensation of personnel on the rolls on the date such plan (or any part thereof) becomes operative, by reason of the institution and operation of such plan (or any part thereof);

"(C) prohibit reductions in rates of basic compensation of any personnel, by reason of any classification actions taken at any time under authority of such plan with respect to the positions occupied by such personnel, so long as such personnel remain in the same positions and are assigned to perform and do perform work of the same level of difficulty, responsibility, and qualification requirements as the work which they were performing in such positions; and

"(D) preserve for personnel in the postal field service on the rolls on the date such plan (or any part thereof) becomes operative the increases in rates of basic compensation provided by this act.

Such plan also may contain such provisions and proposals consistent with the purposes of this section as the Postmaster General deems advisable in the light of the needs of the Post Office Department, the best interests of personnel in the postal field service, and the public interest.

"(b) In the light of and pursuant to the investigation and study made under subsection (a) and in accordance with the purposes of such subsection, the Postmaster General shall transmit to the Congress, on or before March 15, 1955, a classification and pay plan for the postal field service. Such plan shall be prepared with due regard for the legislative forms and procedures of the Congress and shall be accompanied by an appropriate written explanation of the provisions, objects, purposes, and effects thereof. The delivery of such plan and explanation thereof shall be made to both Houses on the same day.

"(c) Except as may be otherwise provided pursuant to subsection (e) of this section, the provisions of such classification and pay plan for the postal field service shall take effect upon the expiration of the first period of 60 calendar days of continuous session of the Congress, following the date on which such plan is transmitted to the Congress; but only if, between the date of transmittal and the expiration of such period of 60 days there has not been passed by either of the two Houses, by affirmative vote of a majority a quorum being present, a resolution stating in substance that that House does not favor such plan.

"(d) For the purposes of subsection (c) of this section—

"(1) continuity of session shall be considered as broken only by an adjournment of the Congress sine die; but

"(2) in the computation of the 60-day period, there shall be excluded the days on which either House is not in session because of an adjournment of more than 3 days to a day certain.

"(e) Any provision of the plan may, under provisions contained in the plan, be made operative at a time later than the date on which the plan shall otherwise take effect.

"(f) If such classification and pay plan becomes effective, such plan shall be printed in the Statutes at Large in the same volume as the public laws and shall be printed in the Federal Register.

"(g) Any increase in rate of basic compensation by reason of the institution and operation of such classification and pay plan for the postal field service shall not be considered as an 'equivalent increase' in compensation within the meaning of section 701 of the Classification Act of 1949, as amended, in the case of postmasters, officers, and employees in the postal field service who transfer or are transferred to positions within

the purview of the Classification Act of 1949, as amended.

"Sec. 208. (a) This section is enacted by the Congress:

"(1) As an exercise of the rule-making power of the Senate and the House of Representatives, respectively, and as such it shall be considered as part of the rules of each House, respectively, but applicable only with respect to the procedure to be followed in such House in the case of resolutions (as defined in subsection (b) of this section); and such rules shall supersede other rules only to the extent that they are inconsistent therewith; and

"(2) With full recognition of the constitutional right of either House to change such rules (so far as relating to the procedure in such House) at any time, in the same manner and to the same extent as in the case of any other rule of such House.

"(b) As used in this section and section 207, the term 'resolution' means only a resolution of either of the two Houses of Congress, the matter after the resolving clause of which is as follows: 'That the ----- does not favor the postal field service classification and pay plan transmitted to Congress by the Postmaster General,' the blank space therein being filled with the name of the resolving House.

"(c) All resolutions with respect to the postal field service classification and pay plan shall be referred, by the President of the Senate or the Speaker of the House of Representatives, only to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service of the Senate or the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service of the House of Representatives, as the case may be.

"(d) If the committee to which has been referred a resolution with respect to such postal field service classification and pay plan has not reported such resolution before the expiration of 10 calendar days after its introduction, it shall then (but not before) be in order to move either to discharge the committee from further consideration of such resolution, or to discharge the committee from further consideration of any other resolution with respect to such postal field service classification and pay plan which has been referred to the committee.

"(e) Such motion may be made only by a person favoring the resolution, shall be highly privileged (except that it may not be made after the committee has reported a resolution with respect to the plan), and debate thereon shall be limited to not to exceed 1 hour, to be equally divided between those favoring and those opposing the resolution. No amendment to such motion shall be in order, and it shall not be in order to move to reconsider the vote by which such motion is agreed or disagreed to.

"(f) If the motion to discharge is agreed to or disagreed to, such motion may not be renewed, nor may another motion to discharge the committee be made with respect to any other resolution with respect to the plan.

"(g) When the committee has reported, or has been discharged from further consideration of, a resolution with respect to the plan, it shall at any time thereafter be in order (even though a previous motion to the same effect has been disagreed to) to move to proceed to the consideration of such resolution. Such motion shall be highly privileged and shall not be debatable. No amendment to such motion shall be in order and it shall not be in order to move to reconsider the vote by which such motion is agreed to or disagreed to.

"(h) Debate on the resolution shall be limited to not to exceed 10 hours, which shall be equally divided between those favoring and those opposing the resolution. A motion further to limit debate shall not be debatable. No amendment to, or motion to







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AN ACT

All 68 Stat. 1011.

To provide for the conveyance of certain land and improvements to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized and directed to convey by quitclaim deed, without monetary consideration therefor, to the England Special School District of the State of Arkansas, all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to a parcel of land, and all improvements thereon, in the southwest quarter of section 35, township 1 north, range 10 west, in Lonoke County, Arkansas, such conveyance to be made only upon the agreement of the England Special School District that all proceeds from the sale of the said property shall be used exclusively to acquire permanent school fixtures for the England Special School District, said property being more particularly described as follows:

England Special  
School District,  
Ark.  
Conveyance.

Commencing at the northeast corner of section 2, township 1 south, range 10 west, thence north eighty-nine degrees eight minutes west for a distance of two thousand and thirty feet to the west right-of-way line of project road; thence along said project road right-of-way line north one degree fifty-eight minutes east, for a distance of one thousand one hundred and seventy-two feet, more or less, to an iron pipe for the point of beginning; thence north eighty-eight degrees two minutes west for a distance of three hundred and forty feet to an iron pipe, thence north one degree fifty-eight minutes east for a distance of seven hundred and eight feet to an iron pipe; thence north twenty-seven degrees thirty-two minutes east for a distance of three hundred and forty-seven feet to an iron pipe; thence south forty-four degrees thirteen minutes east for a distance of two hundred and sixty-three feet to an iron pipe; thence south one degree fifty-eight minutes west for a distance of eight hundred thirty-nine and five-tenths feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, containing seven and three one-hundredths acres more or less.

Approved August 31, 1954.





